SENATE RESOLUTION 80 By Kurita

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Tulisha Jackman, 2003 Salutatorian of Northeast High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Tulisha Jackman is one such exceptional student who was recently named Salutatorian of the 2003 graduating class at Northeast High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Tulisha Jackman has achieved outstanding academic success, and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in her remarkable high school career, Tulisha Jackman has earned an exemplary 4.0 grade point average; and

WHEREAS, Tulisha Jackman's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success; and

WHEREAS, an extremely talented and well-rounded young woman, Tulisha is a member and officer of many clubs and organizations, including the Junior Classical League, Beta Club,

National Honor Society, Corporate Student Government, Math Team, and Student Advisory Council, and served as a Delegate to Volunteer Girls State; and

WHEREAS, no stranger to honors and accolades, Tulisha has received many commendations; she won four gold medals on the National Latin Exam, was a member of the 1st place Math Team, was named an AP Scholar by the College Board, won the American Youth Foundation "I Dare You" Award, received a \$1,000 National Beta Club Scholarship, received several academic awards, and was voted "Miss Northeast" by the school's faculty; and

WHEREAS, actively involved in community service, Tulisha has volunteered for many worthy causes, including the Red Cross, Humane Society, Adopt-an-Angel, and several projects and activities through her church; and

WHEREAS, Tulisha Jackman's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her parents, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Tulisha Jackman's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, that we hereby commend and honor 2003 Northeast High School Salutatorian, Tulisha Jackman, on her impressive academic achievement, and extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.

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